

## SCHOOL CHILDREN'S DEPT., MACLEOD FAIR

The Macleod Agricultural Society has done a great deal in the past to foster exhibits from the schools, and the display at the fair was an evidence of the work done along this line the Society. This year it is expected that still greater results will be accomplished and appended the list of classes and awards offered for the fall fair to be held in August. We are also pleased to be able to publish a letter now being sent out to every school teacher in the Macleod inspectorate by Mr. E. Lazerte, the inspector for this district, and it is gratifying to know of the hearty co-operation of Mr. Lazerte with the Agricultural society in the endeavor to make this department of our local fair even a greater success than it was last year, and we would earnestly urge every parent in the district to give this matter their heartiest support, and ask them to co-operate with the teachers in their school district, so that the interests of the scholars may be aroused and sustained.

### M. A. Lazerte's Letter

Dear Teacher:

You may have heard already from Mr. R. J. E. Gardiner, Macleod, asking for your co-operation in the School Fair work. Even if you leave the district before the end of this term, we want your assistance. The pupils can look after their vegetables and flowers at home, where, of course, that part of the work is done, and the other exhibits can be prepared in school and left with the pupils.

It will be a few weeks before the agricultural men or myself get around to the school to give assistance or to deliver the remainder of the seeds. We are sending now a package of cabbage seeds in order that these may be sown in flat boxes and germinated in the school. This work can be done as a part of the nature study and agricultural assignments in all the grades, and thus the young cabbage plants will be ready for distribution when we complete, with your assistance, the list of pupils who are willing to enter upon this work.

Please interest as many pupils as possible in this work. Mr. Gardiner sent you a copy of the prize list. We would like every child to compete in the vegetable competition, the class work entries or preferably both.

Hoping for your full co-operation and looking forward to a visit about the time these cabbage plants are ready for transplanting, I remain,  
Yours very truly,  
M. E. LAZERTE,  
Inspector of Schools.

## SCHOOL CHILDREN'S WORK, 1920

Class 36—Open only to pupils in the Macleod Inspectorate. No entry fee required, but entry must be made within the specified time to the Secretary.

Best map of British empire, showing seats of government and intercolonial trade routes—grade 6 upwards. First prize, \$3.00; 2nd prize, \$2.00.

Best outline map of Alberta, showing mountains, rivers, lakes, railroads, cities and electoral districts—grades 6 to 8. First \$3, 2nd \$2.

Best portfolio, using conventional flower design; grades 5 and 6. First \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best picture poster, to be done in black and white; grades 7 and 8. First \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best group of fruits in pastel or water color; grades 1, 2 and 3. First prize \$2; 2nd, \$1.

Best color drawing, three subjects, pastel or water color; grades 4, 5 and 6; first \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best pencil sketch from nature, grades 7 and 8. 1st \$2, 2nd \$1.  
Best exhibit of cardboard construction illustrating one of the following stories: "Three Bears," "Three Pigs," "Little Red Hen." Grades 1 to 3. First, \$2; 2nd \$1.

Best collection of work in manual training, all grades in any ungraded school; first, \$2; 2nd, \$1.

Best letter applying for position as advertised in any newspaper; 1st, \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best collection of drawings, mounted (not to exceed six), each pupil's work to be by itself; 1st, \$2; 2nd, \$1.

Best exercise book, completed, of classroom work, showing date commenced and date completed; grades 1 and 2; 1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best exercise book, completed, of classroom work, showing date commenced and date completed; grades 3 and 4; first \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best specimen of penmanship, 50 lines foolscap; grades 5 and 6; 1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best specimen of penmanship, 50 lines foolscap; grades 7 and 8; 1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best collection of native flowers named and mounted on cardboard. First, \$2; 2nd, \$1.

All drawings and writings to be done in school under supervision of teacher, to be work of pupil only and accompanied by teacher's certificate to that effect.

Seeds for the following sections will be supplied by the department of agriculture free of charge. Application for same to be made to the secretary.

Best peck of potatoes—1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best cabbage, 3 heads—1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best beets, 6 roots—1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best carrots, 6 roots—1st \$2,

2nd \$1.  
Best onions, 6 roots—1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best peas, shelled, ½ pint in bottle—1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best mangolds, 6 roots—1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best Swede Turnips, 6 roots—1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

Best collection of Cut Flowers from seed supplied—1st \$2, 2nd \$1.

All these vegetables and flowers must be grown by the pupils.

See the prize list later for girls' and boys' classes in colts, calves, ponies, pigs, poultry, home cooking and fancy needlework; also for special prizes for girls and boys and for schools.

## WOMEN'S MISSIONARY FIELD SOCIAL

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church held a social evening in the parsonage on Thursday last. The social was in honor of Rev. W. A. Lewis' birthday and had for its object the raising of funds for the local branch. An excellent program of music and song was rendered, and a very enjoyable evening was spent by a large number of people. The treasury of the W. M. S. was enriched to the extent of \$37.

We understand that Mrs. W. A. Lewis, the president of the branch, is looking for another \$43 to complete the amount of \$160 expected from Macleod for this year.

Wallis Tractors, and general Read P. Burns meat market are on cutting high cost of living—recipe for economy in meat buying.

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## EASTER SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES

The following are the announcements of the Macleod churches for their Easter services, and the pastors of the different churches extend a hearty invitation to their services.

### CHRIST CHURCH (Anglican)

GOOD FRIDAY, April 2nd.  
9.30 a.m. Children's Service.  
10.30 a.m. Matins and Ante-Communion Service.  
2 to 3 p.m. Meditations on the Words from the Cross.  
7.30 p.m. Evensong and Preparation for Easter Communion.

EASTER SUNDAY, April 4th.  
7 and 8 a.m. Holy Communion.  
11 a.m. Matins and Communion.  
2.30 p.m. Children's Service.  
7.30 p.m. Evensong.  
There will be a short service, with Reading or address, every day in Holy Week at 7.30 p.m.

### ST. ANDREWS (Presbyterian Church.)

11 a.m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed.  
Easter music, anthem and solo.  
2.30 Sunday School—Sacrament of Baptism will be administered.  
7.30 Easter service, special Easter music, anthem and solo.  
Preparatory on Friday evening at 8 p.m. Adult Baptism and receiving of new members.

### METHODIST CHURCH (Easter Sunday)

11 a.m. "Easter Message."  
Easter music by Young People's Choir.  
2.30 p.m. Easter program by the Sunday School children. Parents are urged to come.  
7.30 p.m. "Resurrection." Easter music.  
W. A. Serves, pastor.

### HOLY CROSS CHURCH

Holy Thursday—Feast of the Institution of the Holy Eucharist. Mass, Holy Communion and procession of Blessed Sacrament at 8 a.m. Adoration of Blessed Sacrament all day. Prayers at 9 p.m.

Good Friday—Unveiling and Adoration of the Cross, and mass of the Presanctified at 8 a.m. Stations of the Cross at 7.30 p.m.

Holy Saturday—Blessing of Paschal Candle and Baptismal water, reading of the Prophecies and mass at 8 a.m.

Easter Sunday—Low mass, Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m. High Mass, sermon and special music at 10.30. No evening service.

### EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Evangelistic services are being held this week in the Methodist Church.

The Presbyterian and Methodist Churches are uniting in this service.

Song service 7.45 p.m. A hearty welcome is extended to everyone.

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Alex McDonald has taken orders for three J. I. Case outfits this week, practically all cash, so the Macleod district is not so badly off as some would have us believe. Mr. McDonald was also away on the 23rd, unloading a 15-27 Case engine.

Pantry Queen Flour, the uniform baking flour—sold on a guarantee. The Macleod Flouring Mills Limited.

## BONUS SCHEME IS BEFORE G.W.V.A DOMINION BODY

The Woods' bonus scheme as presented to the Dominion convention by the members of the Calgary delegation was adopted unanimously by a special committee appointed by the convention to consider the scheme, according to a wire received by the local branch from S. G. Petley, on Thursday morning. This scheme which was drafted by W. S. Woods, president of the local branch, and endorsed by the Calgary branch, provides that each man who enlisted in the Canadian army be paid \$1.00 a day for every day's service, if he served in France, 80 cents a day if in England and 50 cents a day for service in Canada alone.

The committee which discussed the scheme was composed of 27 representatives of every province in the Dominion. Alberta was represented on the committee by Woods of Calgary, Robinson of Munson and James of Edmonton, and the committee unanimously endorsed the resolution regarding the bonus as submitted by Mr. Woods after a three-hour debate. The convention was to receive the report on Wednesday morning. — Calgary Herald.

## MACLEOD FOOTBALL CLUB

About 20 football fans gathered at Morrison's pool room on Friday evening last to discuss the advisability of forming a football club for the town for the coming season. A number gave in their names are willing to join and the club was organized with A. Dunn as manager and A. Watson as secretary-treasurer. Now that many men have returned from the front and things are getting back to normal conditions, Macleod ought to be able to get a real good football team. Alex Watson or J. Morrison will be glad to hear from anyone wishing to join the club.

There was a pick-up game with the R.C.M.P. on Saturday afternoon. Owing to the short notice the town club could only muster nine men, but with help from the barracks they made up an eleven as follows: Nurse in goal, Underwood, Garrow, Dunn, Kirk, Campbell, Halstead, Watson, Edgar, and Constables Cours and McLean. The police line-up was Stevens in goal, Crump, Ford, Rodgers, Wright, Pergotti, Hammond, Gibson Graves, Legge and Ramsey.

The game resulted in 6-0 in favor of the police.

## THE PASSING OF ANOTHER OLD TIMER

Recently death has removed many of the old timers from the town of Macleod, indeed the ranks of this noble line of men and women who cut the ropes that held them to their old homelands and trekked out to the great unknown West, are getting very thin. Recent news from Vancouver brings us word of the death of William Black who was one of the real old timers of Macleod.

Mr. Black came from Rockwood, Ontario in 1882 and took a ranch near the Blood Reserve. He was afterwards appointed as clerk on the reserve, until he was sent by the government to a reserve near Edmonton where he remained five years. After his return from the North he was clerk on the Peigan Reserve, until his wife's health failed and he went to Vancouver to live. Mr. Black was

## DISTRIBUTING AGENT FOR SEED GRAIN AND FOR FEED

An agent from the Department of Agriculture, Mr. A. W. Murphy, Lethbridge, is in the district looking after the distribution of seed grain and feed for parties needing assistance. Persons requiring such should get in touch with him and letters addressed to him at Lethbridge will be of assistance in doing so.

## LOCAL BUYERS AT CALGARY BULL SALE

There were a large number of farmers from Macleod and vicinity at the Calgary Bull Show and Sale last week. They report that on the whole prices were very good, and according to the official reports the prices on all breeds averaged higher this year than last. There were 347 animals offered and they realized \$99,885, or an average of \$288 each, which is \$62 higher than last year's average. There were 197 Shorthorns which sold at an average of \$271. 105 Herefords selling at an average of \$321.85 and 37 Aberdeen Angus which realized an average price of \$295.10.

As we reported last week there were several bulls shipped from Macleod and they were all Shorthorns and realized good prices. Messrs. Purdy Bros. shipped two, "Woodville Jack," which was sold to R. S. Hamer of Ottawa for \$280, and Harry Luxury sold to J. S. Cooper of Nanton for \$210. Jos. Shields shipped five head, four of which were sold at the sale and one privately to T. Chester of Ardenville, who purchased "Secret King," of the four animals offered at the sale "Secret Guardsman," was sold to Chas. Bell of Sedgewick for \$400, and "Secret Prince," went to W. R. Pollock of Craigmyle for \$170. "Lovely Duke 2nd" was sold to F. E. Sugden of Cheadle for \$100 and Jos. Hope of Calgary bought "Love Duke 4th," for \$150. J. Hetherington sent one bull "Woodlawn Printer," he was sold to R. S. Hamer of Ottawa for \$290. Shield Bros. were represented by "Gloster Satisfaction," a fine 2-year-old bull, which was sold to D. M. Riddle of Carstairs for \$410, and "Allenlen of Gainsford," which went to the Department of Indian Affairs for \$225.

Of the new blood imported into this district Purdy Bros. purchased "Snowflakes," a white Shorthorn, from A. M. Steed of Lethbridge. T. Chester of Ardenville purchased "Secret King," privately from J. Shield, also a Shorthorn. J. Connolly, purchased "Black Senator," an Aberdeen Angus from Alexander Jackson of Cheadle, and J. Maloney secured "Willow Spring Fisher," a splendid animal offered by Frank Collicutt of Crossfield.

Alf. Pelletier of Pincher Creek shipped four of his Shorthorn herd. While amongst the buyers from Pincher Creek we notice J. A. Sandgren, who purchased three fine Hereford bulls from McDonald Bros. of Brant, paying \$2,050 for the three. J. A. Sanderson, and Newman Bros. also purchased in the Hereford class.

See the Massey Harris No. 11 Steel Grain Box Seed Drill, the best on the market. R. J. E. Gardiner, agent, Macleod.

the first member of the local Presbyterian Church, and the congregation of St. Andrews learned with deep regret of the death of one who had laid the foundations of their cause in this town. The deceased was a brother-in-law to Mrs. Black who passed away in Macleod a short time ago.



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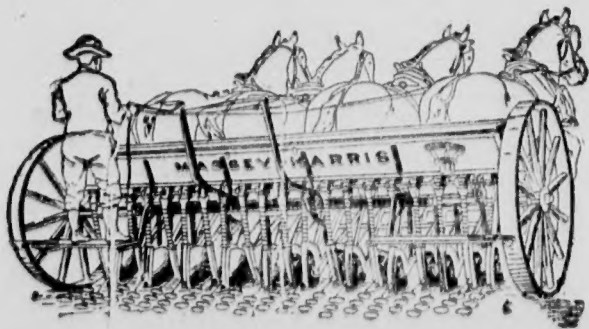
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The first violets of the Spring, Saturday, April 3rd.

Mr. G. L. Pollard spent the week-end at Lethbridge.

Last week some 75 teams were at Pincher station waiting for feed, but most of them waited in vain.

Alex McDonald was out on his ranch Wednesday and reports that the grass is getting quite green in the coulees.

R. J. E. Gardiner, who has been confined to his house since his recent accident, is now out again and attending to business.

Mr. George Sheffield of Mud Lake, who was kicked by his horse at Blackie, is getting on fine and will soon be well again.

H. H. Griffiths, whose wife and family have just arrived from California, have now taken up their residence on the Hatton farm at Standoff, and he is now making preparations for seeding.

Messrs. M. Stewart and sons of Pearce are busy preparing for seeding. They expect to seed about 900 acres, using their Case engine for the purpose.

Mr. Weaver of Mud Lake is busy plowing.

The roads to the east of town are in very bad condition, especially near Mike Shearer's. Something should be done to have this part of the road raised, as in every wet spell it is practically impassable. What is the Alberta Motor league doing?

Thirteen male teachers in Pittsburg who served in the army are reported to have asked the Board of Education of that city to give them \$33 a month with lodging, board and clothes in lieu of their present salaries, ranging from \$125 to \$217 a month.

On the occasion of the visit of the Grand Superintendent, Sergt. Allen, to the Shekinah Royal Arch Masons, Lethbridge, on Wednesday, the chapter gave a banquet, to which 60 sat down. The visiting companions from Macleod, besides Sergt. Allen, were Rev. S. Middleton, Darnley Murison, J. B. Sutherland and J. Arthurs.

Major C. H. Collinson has returned to his ranch out near Standoff ready for spring work. Major Collinson at the outbreak of the war was captain of the 61st and took the regiment overseas. In September, 1918, he was transferred to the 32nd battery, C.F.A., as major, and remained with that battery until the close of the war, when he returned to Calgary, where he has spent the winter.

## NO DAYLIGHT SAVING IN CANADA THIS YEAR

MONTREAL, March 23.—Although New York state has already approved of daylight saving legislation, there will be no federal action taken by the United States, and under these conditions Dominion railways will carry on with the usual time, the Canadian Railway Association announced yesterday. Where municipalities and districts enact the daylight saving law provision will be made whereby the railways can alter their suburban time schedule to suit local needs. The association's statement adds that this will be the only concession made to daylight saving by the Canadian railways this year.

## MONTREAL WILL HAVE IT

MONTREAL, March 25.—Administrative commission of Montreal this morning decided to introduce daylight saving on May 2.—Calgary Herald.

## WILL KEEP DRY LUMBER PRICES

CALGARY, March 24.—That there will be no further increase in the price of lumber if the manufacturers can possibly help it was the statement of I. R. Poole, secretary of the Mountain Lumbermen's Manufacturing associations today. Mr. Poole said that his decision had been arrived at notwithstanding the increased cost of production.

"If the manufacturers can control the situation, the price of lumber will certainly not further advance," he definitely remarked.

Another matter which occupied very considerable time of the convention was the gathering together of facts for presentation to the Canadian Board of commerce covering 1919 operations. These will be presented to the board in due course. Mr. Poole stated that these figures will prove conclusively that the manufacturers were not in the "profiteering" class.—Lethbridge Herald.

## CANADA ACCEPTS THREE VESSELS FROM BRITAIN

OTTAWA, March 25.—The Canadian naval service will be carried on along a pre-war basis, so announced Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, minister of naval service, this afternoon, in his statement on the future of the Canadian navy.

Action, he announced further, would be deferred on the adoption of a permanent policy pending discussion by the overseas Dominion and Great Britain at the forthcoming imperial conference. The offer from Great Britain of one light cruiser and two torpedo boat destroyers, to take the place of the Niobe and Rainbow, has been accepted.

Demobilization of all officers and naval ratings has been ordered in order to thoroughly reorganize the present service and place it on an economical basis.

Alex McDonald is quite sure when the farmers see a J. I. Case engine with all the gears enclosed and running in an oil bath and realize they are doing business with a company now in business 78 years, carrying in Calgary over \$200,000 in repairs for their benefit, they should consider before buying from jobbers.

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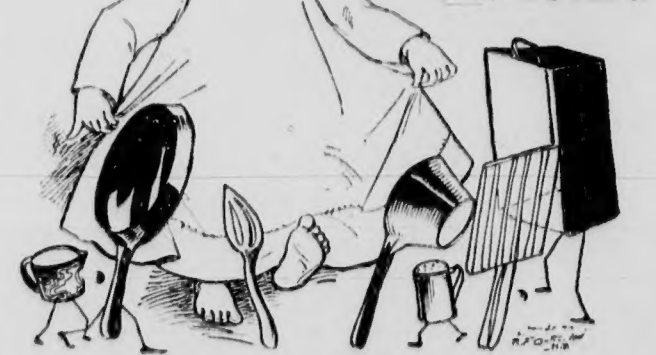
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Yours,

GEORGE.



## WILL FRANCHISE ACT END U.F.A.'S POLITICAL ACTION?

"Some of us in the farmers' movement have been expecting that the interests opposed to us would resort to any means to frustrate our ends, if that were possible," remarked W. D. Trego, a member of the executive of the U.F.A., to the Calgary Herald Friday when discussing Clause 10 of the new Franchise Bill that is at present before the Dominion house.

"The Union government had set the example in the War Times Election Act to disfranchise a large section of voters just before an election," he added, "and it did not seem at all improbable that something of the kind might be attempted before the next election."

Mr. Trego, however, said that he had no idea that the government would have gone to the extent of "attempting to legislate the whole farmers' political movement out of business," as he put it. It was to be expected that now the Canadian Council of Agriculture had spoken regarding this matter farmers' representatives on the cross benches in the house of Commons would register a very determined protest against this clause in the new bill.

### Mr. Trego's Analysis

"The clause has been very skill-

fully designed," he said, "in that it might be that farmers' representatives in opposing this clause would be placed in a wrong light before the public. On the face of it it might be supposed that the clause is supposed to stop political corruption by the large financial interests, but in reality it does nothing of the kind. Any large financial corporation," he said, "wanting to donate money to political funds could easily find a road round the clause. It would be much more difficult for the farmers to do this because their contributions for political purposes are made up of very small amounts, and it is because of the fact that the farmers are taking concerted action through their organizations that the farmers' political movement is so seriously alarming the old line parties, inasmuch as they realize that their strength lies in organization and it is at the organizations that this clause would seem to be aimed."

### Value of Publicity

"For years," said Mr. Trego, "the farmers have been contending for the publication of all contributions to political campaign funds. Such a clause has been included in the platform issued by the Canadian Council of Agriculture, and in my opinion is the best if not the only way of checking the subordination of political parties by vested interests. I believe the spotlight of publicity would check most of the evils which at present are attached to political

campaigns.

### Effect on U.F.A.

H. Higginbotham, the general secretary of the U.F.A., who was also in the city, stated that his attention had first been drawn to the matter in Winnipeg on Monday last when attending a meeting of the executive there. The executive had left for Toronto on the Saturday night and a copy of the act was received after they had left. J. E. Brownlee, the legal adviser of the U.F.A., was, however, in Winnipeg at the time, and he had no hesitation in stating that the clause referred to would prevent the U.F.A. from taking political action under its present organization, and at the same time this would probably apply to all other farmers' organizations in Canada.

### Leaders Are Advised

The Canadian Council of Agriculture being in session at the time, Mr. Higginbotham stated that they were at once advised by wire as to the clause. On Tuesday Mr. Higginbotham stated he was in Regina and spent some time with R. M. Johnston, the secretary of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' political organization. "We discussed the clause with Mr. Gregory, the legal adviser of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers," said the general secretary, "and he was absolutely of the same opinion as Mr. Brownlee, but thought further that while the Saskatchewan organization would not be hit in just the same way as Alberta and some of the other provinces, that their efforts would be a good deal circumscribed, as, for instance, under this clause it would be illegal for any local of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' association to make a contribution to the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' political organization. Further, it would be illegal for the Grain Growers' political organization to receive any further contributions, either from the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' central organization or its locals."

### Effect on Alberta

"In Alberta, while we have district political organizations," said Mr. Higginbotham, "which were established primarily for political action, most of these organizations deal with other U.F.A. matters also, and that, therefore, it is doubtful if they could be described as associations formed for political purposes only."

"As a matter of fact, Lethbridge puts general U.F.A. activities first and political action second in its constitution, so that under this clause they would be absolutely debarred. Medicine Hat amended its constitution so that it is practically on the same basis as the Lethbridge organization; and further it was the clearly expressed wish of the U.

F. A. annual convention in January that all the district organizations should be district organizations of the U. F. A. in the fullest sense, and not confine their work purely to political matters. If it had not been for the difficulty to adjust matters between the districts, the locals and the central," said Mr. Higginbotham, "without due notice of the new arrangement, it is possible that the convention might have passed the constitutional amendments providing for the election of all the U. F. A. directors by district organizations."—Calgary Herald.

## HISTORICAL OF SOME MACLEOD BUSINESS FIRMS WHEN CHARLEY REACH CAME TO MACLEOD

In 1886 Charley Reach shook the dust of Chicago off his feet and rubbed them clean on the upholstered seats of the C.P.R. coaches to take a position with J. B. Smith & Bro. of Macleod, Alberta. In due time he arrived at Medicine Hat, then a small town supported by the construction gang and general hangers-on. A stage line used to run from the Hat, but had been changed the week before to start from Calgary. This meant a delay of a few days waiting to get to Calgary to take the coach for Macleod. Calgary at that time was only a small though growing town. On making enquiries if any conveyances were going his way, only one was found, a team and democrat driven by Al. Whitney and a man whom he had engaged from the East to work for him; his name was Charley Hyssop, now one of the wealthy men of Lethbridge. Lethbridge at that time was a place of a few shacks and the engineers sinking a shaft for the Galt coal mine.

"Well," Whitney said, "if you boys can walk it I will put your trunks on, although the democrat is too heavily loaded already." There was a man with whom Reach had made a talking acquaintance at the Hat, and he said: "I'm going to walk, but this Chicago kid—he might do it with an occasional lift; I'm an old navy and it will be a picnic for me." Charley Whitney replied: "Don't you brag, stranger, I'm going to walk." So off they started and drifted along the trail to Macleod but after a few hours the navy got tired and wanted a lift, which he continued in relays until the end of the journey. After a time someone said: "Give Stars and Stripes a show." But "Excelsior—Onward and Upward" shouted. "Nothing doing! I started out to walk and will finish the job! All the necessary tonic on the way will be a glimpse of the Rocky Mountains. I have been fed up with their impressive beauty and majestic proportions from literature and I have dreamed of them, and my soul yearns for a vision of their heavenly peaks."

Now, this year (1886) was a very dry year—no grass to speak about on the prairies, and where a spring or two used to bubble up they seemed to have reversed the action and subterraneously bubbled down. Now the teamster was wearing a trouble expression and said: "I am afraid, boys, we are going to have a dry camp." The tenderfoot asked what he meant and when told that that meant making tea without water, and no moisture for the hard tack, and you could slake your thirst only with bacon fat. But this "Chicago kid" said: "No sir-ee! There must be water somewhere and I am going to get it. All you boys have to do is to trail along and I will make a detour to every green spot in the distance. When I wave my hands, keep on going, but when I beckon frantically, that means water, and you can drive up to me." We did this

mostly all day, but at last patience was rewarded; there was a spot where water oozed out when stepped upon. A frenzied wave of the hands brought the party there. There was a little rough language for a minute or so. They said there was no water there; "you won't fool us next time." "You fellows hold your horses," said Charley, "and fetch me a shovel," and at it he went, and a 2-foot hole was soon scooped out, which in a short time had a foot of water in it. Al actually cried and said: "Don't that beat hell, to have a tenderfoot put water in my mouth; he will be feeding me next. I have travelled this trail before and had 'dry camp,' but for this kid to make a wet one out of a dry one beats me. He sure is some wizard." So we all had tea, fried bacon, potatoes and hard tack, and after that a friendly smoke; then to bed under the stars with horse blanket and burlap for covering.

We woke up early smelling rather horsey, had breakfast like supper and started on the way. The prospects looked good for another dry camp, but Charley was on the job and repeated the manoeuvre of the previous day, by hunting a green spot that was perspiring moisture. Out came the shovel again and water showed up, rather brackish but refreshing and cool. Then the usual smoke, then another preparation for bed—sleep and rest came as a dispensation from heaven. No dreams that night, but sweet oblivion. In the morning a megaphone voice woke us all up, saying: "Wake up Charley, and shake Chief Mountain's paw." Sure enough, there were the mountains shining like jewels in the distance. It was cheering; the cool air blowing from them to us was an elixir. Then we came to the hole in the prairie called Lethbridge. It was nothing more, as the coal shaft was not finished. We stopped at the camp and saw the river running, and oh, it looked fine. But Macleod was beckoning, and as the river looked low Charley waded in with the horses. He had broken his fast, but would not break the record of his walk. If you give a bluff, carry it through.

At this eventful time one of the poor horses dropped down exhausted and had to be left; so the whipple tree was braced and roped and the one horse "Grandy" went alone. If the exhausted horse recovered it could be claimed by its brand. Then all emerged from the coulee and stood on "Beulah Land," monarchs of all they surveyed—nothing to be seen; no grass, and the feed was bad; the range cattle had drifted to the river bottom. Reach kept ahead of the team, or one-horse democrat, looking for fresh adventures. Presently his voice was heard shouting: "Al! Oh, Al!" What's that in the distance, down in the bottoms. Can it be a herd of buffalo? Al Whitney replied: "What's biting you? That's a herd of elephant mosquitoes." Still, the batch kept on moving. The air was so clear and bright. Then Al said, "That's a herd of intelope." Presently they saw us and pawed the ground and skipped about. Then, throwing up their heads and kicking up their heels, off they went like the wind. It was a pretty sight. Al said: "By the jumping Moses, Kid, you are sure one prospector; you are likely to locate a sure thing!" Another day or so and Macleod turned up; so all took to camp, washed, shaved and spruced up, ready for the entry into the "Depot of the West," the supply centre for territory hundreds of miles in circumference. Well Reach marched through the main street and the boys peeled out of the saloons and gambling houses and thronged the doors and windows of the old Camoose hotel, for a man had passed them on the way getting the information from the strangers as to who they were and what was their business. So, making excuses, off he went to retail the news. Among

the jangle on the street could be heard: "That's Smith's new man." There were no sidewalks then, so all stood where they could get the best view. Poor Charles' fame had preceded him. Someone remarked: "Looks a husky—legs a little bowed—a good cowpuncher spoilt. But he walked all the way from the Hat and looks as fresh as a yearling."

The principal stores had been emptied of their inmates, who all came out from J. E. Baker's store, Capt. Winder's and the next one in importance to the J. G. B.—J. B. Smith Bros. Reach asked the location of his future hold-out, was affably pointed out the place by a well directed mouthful of tobacco juice. On going in there was no one in the store; he went into the office and saw a man sitting on a swivel chair with feet perched on the desk on an incline of 45 degrees, who said: "I guess you are our new man, Reach. Well, sit down and help yourself; take a smoke"—passing a choice box of Henry Clays. After Reach had a rest and a talk he went for a swim to take off the aroma of the horse blankets and what little dust had accumulated, and went to bed prepared for the duties of the coming day. In the morning he was not struck with the beauties of the town, but manfully looked for the bright side. But after a week he told the boss he had still a little money left and thought he would strike east again. However, the boss, with a little diplomacy, persuaded him to stay. He bought a lot in town for \$30; then to keep it company he bought two more; so he had real estate, which after a time he could sell at an advance and go back to Chicago and spend the balance of his days in luxuriant living. But his dream has not yet come true. His first business venture was to invest \$40 in a peanut stand; then he started into groceries, and then he added dry goods, until he has developed one of the best businesses in town, carrying a most comprehensive stock of groceries and dry goods.

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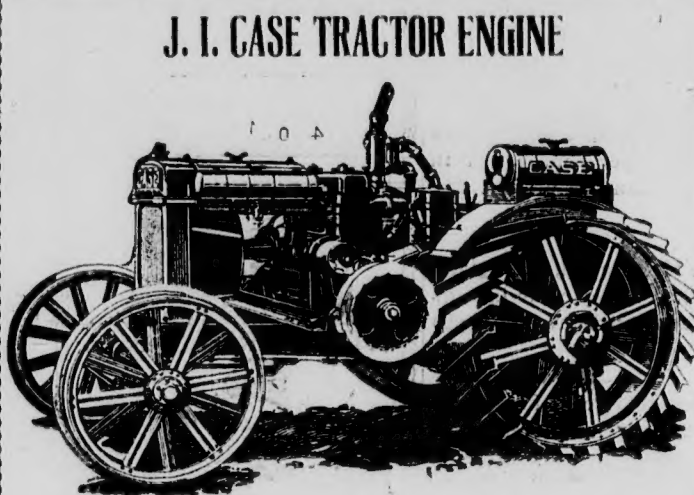
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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1920

### THE FABLE OF THE TWO WAGONS

ONCE upon a time in the Town of Wenowhere there lived a Big Boy who had a Little Tin Wagon—very light and flimsy—and on the side of the Wagon was printed a Name—"The Nuisance Express."

It was for a Long Time the Only Toy Wagon in Town, and the Big Boy was Very Proud of it and he trundled it back and forth along his favorite path continually and made Quite a Track for it. The Big Boy was not Very Obliging, so he never had a Load in His Toy—he never ran errands for anyone with the Wagon—and you know what an Annoying Noise an Empty-Tin Wagon makes (all empty wagons make the most noise), and even the Good-Natured School Teacher in the town of Wenowhere, whose name was Miss Public, was getting very Much Fed Up with the Tinny Rattling of the Big Boy's Empty Wagon. About this time Two Other Boys went to the Big Boy and said: "Let us play with your Toy Wagon and we will give you a Red Apple once in a while." The Big Boy was very fond of Red Apples, so he let the Two Other Boys have his Tinny Toy Wagon to Play With. These Two Other Boys were no more obliging than the Big Boy and they Never Ran Errands Nor Carried a Load—not in the Wagon, anyway—and the Wagon with its Tinny Racket was indeed getting Very Much on Miss Public's Nerves.

Then One Day a New Boy Came to Town, with a New Wagon—one of the Useful Heavy Kind—made of wood, just like a big wagon (only smaller), and on its side was printed a name—"The Time-sance Express." The New Boy was obliging, and he nearly always had Something in his Wagon—Running Errands for the People—Especially for Miss Public. In going back and forth on Errands with his Heavily Loaded Wagon he made Ruts in the Track where the Big Boy's Tin Wagon used to run. This almost spoiled the Track for the Big Boy's Wagon, and on account of its being Light and Flimsy it would Upset when it ran over the Ruts made by the New Boy's Loaded Wagon. Sometimes the Two Wagons Bumped a Little in passing and the New Wagon made Dents in the Tin Wagon, and the Big Boy became Cross and the Two Other Boys Didn't Like it and They All Three Hated the New Boy and his Heavy Wagon. So the Big Boy said to the Two Other Boys: "If you will Put Some Heavy Rocks in My Tin Wagon and Run Into the New Boy's Wagon perhaps you can Take a Wheel Off It and we will not be Bothered with it any more. If you will do this you can have My Tin Toy Wagon for a While Without Giving Me Any Red Apples." So the Two Other Boys Loaded the Tin Wagon with Rocks. But, Alas, When They

Started to Draw it the Heavy Load of Rocks Broke the Little Tin Wagon Down, and the Big Boy and the Two Other Boys Burst into Tears. Just then Miss Public Came Along, and Looking Severely at the Big Boy and the Other Two Boys, said: "What Are You Weeping For?" And they were so excited and angry they Told Her All About It. Miss Public Said: "Big Boy, I Have Been Provoked for a Long Time by the Noise Your Empty Tin Wagon Has Made—it is Really a Relief to me That it is Broken anyway, you are too Old to Play with a Useless Toy. Take up the Pieces of your Little Squaky Tin Wagon and Carry Them Into the School House and Place Them on the Farthest Back Shelf in That Closet Marked 'Oblivion.' If you want a Wagon, get a Useful One Like the New Boy's Wagon and Oblige People a Little by Running Errands, and the Little Noise Your Wagon May Make Won't Annoy People. You Other Two Boys Run Along Now and Find Some New Toy to Play With. And this is the Fable of the Two Wagons."

### THE PLACE AND POWER OF WOMEN

The day of foolish questions as to the superiority of one sex over another is gone. This practical age demands that both the masculine and feminine gender put forth their utmost for citizenship and that type of citizenship which will tell in the coming generations. Man, the creator, the discoverer, the inventor requires another factor to adjust and arrange and decide. Such is found in womanhood, and we have a marvelous roll of heroic women who have done great things in the past. They blazed the trail for present day betterment in every sphere of life. The touch of Francis Willard, of Lady Henry Somerset is felt today. Eminent writers, such as Mrs. Humphrey Ward and the Brontës have left their impress on humanity. Josephine Butler marching into dens of iniquity, Mrs. Catherine Booth clasping hands with the criminals and outcasts, besides other women who in a silent but forceful way are now playing their part with those who have gone before. Men of letters have recognized the power of womanhood in their own wives. This is seen in many book dedications, where beautiful thoughts are expressed in tender language of happy memories in introductions. Rudyard Kipling in "The Light That Failed." "If I were hanged on the highest hill, I know whose love would follow me still."

Mother of mine, Mother of Mine.  
Charming lines perpetuating the memory of a mother love. See

### IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PETER PETERSEN, DECEASED

#### NOTICE OF SALE

There will be sold by public auction on Thursday the 8th day of April, 1920, at the ranch of Charles Butcher, three miles west and south of the Stand Off Bridge, the following articles:

One 20 high wheel single disc Van Brunt drill, nearly new; one grain tank; one double waggon box; one 3½ farm waggon running gear; 3 sets of double harness (2 with breechings, all in excellent shape); one Massey-Harris binder; one hay rack; a quantity of round logs 4 to 10 ft long; one new Premier cook stove; one 2-burner oil stove; a small quantity of lumber; bedding, cooking utensils, dishes etc.; one stock saddle.

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Also Conan Doyle, Ian McLaren's "To My Mother"; Nansen in "Farthest North" pays tribute to Her Who Christened the Ship and Had the Courage to Wait."

What a noble dedication is appended by Lord Roberts to his book, "Forty-One Years in India," to the Country to which I am so proud of belonging, to the army to which I am so deeply indebted, and to my wife, without whose loving help my "Forty-One Years in India" would not be the happy retrospect it is. I dedicate this book. Can you conceive of Gladstone in any political campaign without Mrs. Gladstone, or Asquith in his recent political crusade without Mrs. Asquith; in fact is the fashion of the day in political platforms that have been rigid and conservative in the past, to invite women to speak, and the most remarkable victory for womanhood is to see a woman—Lady Astor—introduced and welcomed into the most conservative club in the world—the British house of Commons.

For over four years of war the womanhood of the allies have played their part in toil and silent waiting which history can never forget or can ever do justice to.

A woman well bred and well taught furnished with the additional accomplishment of knowledge is a creature without comparison and an indispensable help in the affairs of national and international life. Of course it goes without saying that the impatient, fanciful, haughty, insolent, clamorous womanhood is listless, even among her own sex, but the womanhood that is sincere and thoughtful and courageous is a steady force in any sphere of life.

France welcomed the first lady lawyer, and there have been many adies enter the profession since, and in many parts of the world we have in the medical profession women who adorn this delicate calling. The brain and deft hands of woman will be felt in every department of life, giving a touch which bespeaks an uplifting influence. He—the politician—will require to be single and sincere in all his designs for legislation, he must be ready with a decisive answer to all the questions put by his constituents in their demand for healthy policies, before he will be able to compete with those of the opposite sex who may be running as opponents. Class legislation, commercial intrigues and combines, and all other inequalities will see the hour of doom before many moons.

Already woman's power and force is felt. The provincial and federal educational systems are open to both sexes, and in this domain women will mix with men more freely than they do in Great Britain, where woman has been compelled to win her way by methods that do not reflect to the credit of the country, when women of refinement, of education and of culture were treated with disdain and persecution.

This widespread enfranchisement of womanhood of all classes, the world through women's influence may become more fit for her children to live in, and this is one of the most potent forces the world has ever known—the force of organized respectability, which will and must be felt. The inertia of life gone by the hand of woman, slow progress will take a quick march swing that will make the most ancient wonder.

Why should not women discuss problems in conferences with men? Problems of industry, agriculture, of conservation, of public health, and even the great problem of war should occasion arise. The greatest frankness should subsist between men and women in all the affairs of national life. The national council of women has been for over 20 years a body which has been as keen and as adept as the Farmers' organizations of late years, and every province has listened to them when they have made their

voice heard upon any question of public interest.

The strong, practical spirit of womanhood, working perhaps unconsciously in the life of the nation will, however, assert itself in movements which will clash with old, staid legislation, and will come out on top, and the monuments of women's industry will be seen by our children's children.

Such organizations as the Young Women's Christian Association, the W. C. T. U., the Farm Women's Association, the Victorian Order of Nurses and other social workers and teachers are calmly working away through the rough waters of practical and social difficulties, to be seen and welcomed eventually by all right-minded citizens of every class and line.

### EASTER SERVICES

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### WAR LECTURE

by Ensign G. S. Roe in the Salvation Army Hall in Macleod on Tuesday, April 6, at p.m.

Ensign Roe, who is now in charge of the Tabor corps, was lieutenant in the Royal Irish Fusiliers, and he has many interesting events to relate which occurred during his four and a half years overseas. Do not fail to hear the lecture; it will interest you. No charge for admission, but an offering will be taken. Don't forget place, time and date—S. A. hall, 8 p.m., Tuesday, April 6. Good Friday service will be held in the Salvation Army hall at 11 a.m. on Friday, April 2. Cordial invitation to all.

### Business Paragraphs

See Steven's ad for location.  
Hoodless for battery service.  
See W. K. Mackie's poetic appeal.  
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### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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LOST—In town hall, at St. Patrick's dance, March 17th, small gold brooch; \$1.00 reward if returned to Times office. Person who exchanged hats with H. Le Vasseur at St. Patrick's dance can get their own hat with initials E. F. M. in exchange for Le Vasseur's hat at Times office. 4-1t-p

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FOR SALE—Single disc McCormick Drill; nearly new. Apply R. G. Alexander, Sec. 5-8-25, 7 miles south of Macleod. 4-3t-p

FOR SALE—Duck eggs, or would trade for broody hens. Phone 260. 4-1t-P

WANTED—Smart Boy. Ferguson drug store. 3-1t

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All colors straw hat dyes at Ferguson's.

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Paints, oils, stains and varnishes—good values at the U.F.A.

New supply of sheet music at Duncays, Jeweler and Optician.

Les Miserables at the Empress Monday and Tuesday, April 5 and 6.

Films developed and printed in 24 hours. Whitefoot Photo Service.

Miss Alexander draws your attention to her Easter millinery display.

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See MacMillan, the tailor, for 10 per cent. discount on cash orders for suits.

J. D. Gelinis, of the Macleod Meat Market, has gone north for another car of work horses.

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## MEETING OF MACLEOD LOCAL U. F. A.

A meeting of the Macleod local U.F.A. was held in the town hall on Saturday afternoon to receive the reports of the delegates to the annual convention. Interesting reports were given by R. T. McNichol and J. L. Fawcett. In their estimation some means will have to be devised whereby the business of the convention will have to be handled in a more methodical manner, as at present there seems to be a whole lot of resolutions that never come before the convention at all.

There was a vote of thanks passed to the United Grain Growers, Calgary for their offer of the use of local elevator free of charge for the handling of seed grain this season.

The following resolution has also been passed by the Macleod local: "Moved by W. H. Shield and seconded by J. Horner, That in the event of the Municipality of Bright requiring the use of an elevator, this local do recommend to the local board of the U. G. G.

Co. the desirability of the local elevator of the company being rented to them for that purpose on the lowest possible basis, as it is the opinion of the members of this local that in doing so they will be rendering a great service to the farmers of the district." This resolution has been submitted to the local board of the U. G. G. and the use of the elevator of the Bright Municipality free of charge.

## H. W. BRIGHT ATTENDS HAIL BOARD MEETING

H. W. Bright, secretary of the Bright Municipality, was in Calgary recently as a delegate to the meeting of the Municipal Hail board. The object of the meeting was to discuss certain proposals and amendments to the act to come into operation next year. The board also meets periodically to consider routine work and to devise plans for the harmonious carrying out of the Hail Insurance Act, and to appoint adjusters for the coming season. The board consists of nine

members, three of whom retire each year. Those elected this year were H. Bell of Nampah, Mr. Hinkley of Ponoka and H. W. Bright of Macleod. These are elected to serve for three years.

On the following day Mr. Bright attended a meeting of the secretaries of municipalities, which consisted of a round-table conference on the work of Rural municipalities.

## NEW VULCANIZING WORKS IN MACLEOD

B. E. Chaplin of Lethbridge is starting up in the vulcanizing business in the old stand at the corner of 2nd Ave. and 20th St. Mr. Chaplin is a member of the firm of Lethbridge Vulcanizing Works, a firm that has given unqualified satisfaction to the Lethbridge public for the past six years. The business at Macleod will be conducted by B. E. Chaplin, manager and mechanic.

B. E. Chaplin is a returned man, having served overseas three and a half years with the 39th battery, returning at the end of the war with decorations and honors.

cold mother earth, and greets us as life out of death. What is the meaning of all this? it preaches hope, a certain hope of a joyful resurrection, a great "now" full of tremendous issues of a larger life, unrestricted and full of freedom. "He is risen!" So an empty tomb. "He is risen" is the great world message. The angels sing the song and mankind hears it. "He is not here, "He is risen" Jesus, who "went about doing good" is now at the right hand of God the Father for evermore, yet He is still the same Jesus, the very same Jesus who healed the leper, cleansed the sinner, and raised the dead—the same yesterday, today and forever. Let us then hear this message of hope, let us awake with the Spring to new thoughts and clearer visions and take once more new courage for the way before us, and listen to the voice of the Captain of our Salvation. "I am He that loveth and was dead and am Alive for evermore."

## INVESTMENTS

The spirit that leads men to "take a chance" has always loomed large in western Canada. This is not of necessity a gambling spirit.

The essence of gambling consists in taking something from the other fellow and giving him no adequate return, and hence is very closely allied to the highway robber. Not exactly the thief because the thief loots his victim by stealth. In secret, men often talk of farming as a gamble, because the results are never known, but clearly this is only an investment and in no investment are the results known at the beginning of the transaction. In farming the essence of gambling is removed because there is no intention to take anything from anyone except mother earth. And she looks after herself. At Monarch a company is sinking gas wells and spending thousands of dollars, the results are not known. Still it is not gambling it is development, or in other words an investment.

One of the great needs of Canada has been a lack of faith in our own country. We have always wanted the other fellow to do the investing. The man or company from England or United States or from Germany.

As yet ours is a great undeveloped country and all the time vast amounts of capital have been lying idle.

We were willing to take a chance on a real estate deal or an oil proposition because we thought we saw a chance to hand over a paper, in the shape of a share, or a title, in a few days and clean-up a few thousand and in this there was a great deal of the essence of gambling. Canada could well take a leaf out of the book of Uncle Sam. He has always had faith in his own country, and was not afraid to let his money say so.

The Englishman has been a good sport. He played not always wisely, but still with a large vision. How many of our ranchers could trace their origin back to some company of English investors, or to some individual Englishman.

Development of a nation's wealth in the shape of her natural resources is one very important phase of investment, and maybe a patriotic duty.

But there is another phase that is important namely development of Canada's citizens.

How many lives there are in which great wealth lies buried because it never had a chance.

Suppose that old cobbler uncle had never taken an interest in David Lloyd George what would our national poverty have been today?

There are gold mines buried in many a life, that never come into use, because no one is willing to take the trouble of a little investment.

The man or woman who takes

a child and places him or her where they shall be able to show what is in them has done one of life's greatest deeds.

And talk about taking a chance where you can find more uncertainty in the matter of results.

Even the fact that the child is not normal may mean the greater investment—none of the men that we call geniuses are normal. Abnormality may show the swinging of the pendulum of mental make-up in the direction of some one great blessing to the race.

Every home should be the shelter of a child. No child should be looking for a home, as no splendid investment—should long be looking for an investor. Humanity presents the finest field of investment of any that can be found.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

O. S. Clark took a business trip to Calgary this week.

J. M. Henry was in Calgary on business on Monday last.

R. J. Jones of Beaver-Creek was in town on Monday on his way to Edmonton.

Hans Johnson has purchased a special grader and cleaner from the Cockshutt agency here.

Mr. White of the firm of Dilatush & White was in Calgary on tractor business Monday last.

Several Granum farmers were in town last week getting their spring machinery from the Cockshutt Plow Agency.

Mrs. E. Ivens of Cardston returned to her home on Friday morning after spending a few days in Macleod with Mrs. P. Allen.

H. H. Bowen of Spring Point was in town Monday, taking home with him a Frost & Wood Climax cultivator for use with his tractor.

Mrs. Maud Watson, formerly on the C.P.R. staff here, now of Duluth, Minn., was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. McKenzie, during the past week.

Dr. S. J. Kirk has moved from 19th street to the house lately occupied by Mrs. Milburn on the corner of 3rd Ave. and 22nd St. His office and residence are now in the same building.

Frank Thompson, five miles north of town, who has spent the winter at Monarch with the Canada Western Natural Gas Co., is back in Macleod to put in his crop. He may return to Monarch later.

The high wind of Monday evening completely demolished the Ferguson home. As will be seen in our illustration in last week's issue the west side of the building was blown out by the gas; so on Monday night the wind lifted the roof completely off and carried it over into the garden on the east side.

John Wright of Monarch had a spell of misfortune with his big Chalmers' Car on Monday last. He was returning from a visit south of Macleod when about 10 miles from town his engine went wrong. He phoned in for help. A car went to his assistance, but by the time that assistance had arrived the windstorm had become so bad that it was impossible to see across the road. However, they were coming along nicely on the Standoff trail until they were within three miles of town, where they ran into a deep drift of sand and both cars stalled. A second car went out to attempt to bring the other two in, but it also got caught in the sand, so all three had to wait until morning. By morning the wind had done a lot of damage to the top of the

Chalmers and filled the other two cars with sand.

The many friends of J. G. Mills, late of Macleod, now living in Strathroy, Ont., will be interested to learn of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Mills.

J. McMurray's 4-horse team ran from the Alberta-Pacific Elevator on Monday at noon. They collided with an electric light pole doing considerable damage to wagon and harness. The horses were stopped on Second Ave. just opposite the U. F. A. store. Mr. McMurray was fortunate in escaping any injury.

Read P. Burns meat market ad on cutting high cost of living—recipe for economy in meat buying.

The Hudson's Bay Store will remain open all day Wednesday of this week and will be closed good Friday 2nd April.

Next week's Features at the Empress Theatre: Mon.-Tues. "Les Miserable"; Wed.-Thur. Pauline Frederick in "Out of the Shadow"; Fri.-Sat. Vivian Martin in "Little Comrade."

## TENNIS CLUB MEETING

The general meeting of the Macleod Tennis club has been postponed until Monday, April 5th, at 8 o'clock, in the office of H. C. Winter. A full attendance is requested.

NELLIE WATSON, Sec.-Treas.

## BRIGHT MUNICIPAL DISTRICT No. 69

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Council meets 1st Saturday, Municipal Offices, 24th St., Macleod.

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Masonic Hall over Union Bank W.M.—Rev. S. Middleton.  
Secretary—George Spark.  
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Grand Chapter of Alberta.  
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Secretary—Darnley Murison.  
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**I. O. O. F.**  
Mountain View Lodge No. 4.  
N. G. Wesley Shield.  
Secretary—H. C. A. Stewart.  
Meets every Thursday in Oddfellows Hall on Third Avenue.

**REBEKAH LODGE**  
Mountain View Lodge No. 23.  
N. G.—Mrs. E. F. Brown.  
Secretary—Miss A. M. Wilson.  
Meets 2nd and 4th Mondays in Oddfellows' Hall.

**L. O. L.**  
Macleod L.O.L. No. 1818  
W. M.—H. C. A. Stewart.  
Secretary—J. R. Morrison.  
Meets 1st Monday in month in Oddfellows' Hall, 3rd Ave.

**U. F. A.**  
Macleod Local 852  
Pres.—H. McIntosh.  
Sec.—D. H. Shields.  
Meets first Saturday in the Town Hall.

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## TO OUR COUNTRY READERS

It is the intention of The Times management to make this paper interesting to farmers of this district—to publish country district news—and to give the views of farming interests on public matters by publication of letters along these lines from leaders of thought in the rural districts. The farming interests will receive a square deal from The Times and in return are urged to support the paper by sending in their subscriptions.

## THE EASTERTIDE OF NATURE

(Contributed.)

The yearly miracle is once more being accomplished. Spring with its new hopes and mysterious renewals is again here, and in spite of its delays, its cruel, nipping winds, and frosts, it is to its bright sun, and lengthening days that we chiefly turn for signs of a renewal of life from beneath the carpet of dead leaves strewn beneath our feet.

"With beast and bird the forest rings  
Each in his jargon cries or sings  
And time throws off his cloak again  
Of ermined frost, and cold and rain."

There are no two Spring-times alike. Young April is ever fresh ever new, and we hail with a gust of glee and delight the advent of this merry month; its soft winds and sunny skies playing upon nature's bridal veil.

We bend with love and awe over the first flower or leaf of Spring. The little bit of material loveliness amazes us; it is a new incarnation, and promise of greater beauty to be seen in the full-blown flower of tomorrow. The lovely crocus smiles through

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N.B.—We are indebted for this Recipe to Mr. L. Cunningham, Chef at the Empire Hotel, Calgary. Mr. Cunningham is unquestionably an authority on "Pot Roasts."

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TO PROCEED WITH  
IRRIGATION PROJECT**

Two cheering announcements came from Ottawa today. The first was in a special despatch to the Herald stating that the Dominion government would place in the estimates this year \$447,000 for carrying on further irrigation surveys to establish the feasibility of proposed irrigation projects.

The second was a telegram to the board of Trustees of the Lethbridge Northern conveying the information that the authorization to proceed with the construction of the five million dollar project had been granted by the department of the interior.

**Paves Way for Action**

The latter announcement paves the way for action on the Lethbridge Northern. For several weeks everything has been practically at a standstill with the officials of the project owing to the lack of authority to proceed with construction as this authorization had to be secured before the assessment notices could be sent out. However, Secretary Dunning has the work well in hand. The assessment rolls were all prepared during the delay, and a start was made delivering them this morning. Deputies throughout the project have the notices for their districts and these two are being delivered. According to the act these must be delivered in person to all farmers residing in the area. Those outside the project will get their notices by registered mail. Deliveries will be completed within a week.

**Money Bylaw Soon**

Two weeks will then elapse during which appeals against the assessment may be filed with the secretary of the project at their head office in Lethbridge. If no appeals are made arrangements can be proceeded with immediately for the holding of the election on the money by-law. If, however, complaints against the assessments are made, then two weeks further must elapse, at the end of which time the Board of Trustees of the district sitting as an appeal board may hear the appeals and dispose of them. Following the sitting of the board of appeal, the money bylaw may be voted on.

**Ottawa Announcement Helps**

In the meantime it is expected that the provincial legislature will have finally disposed of the request of the Lethbridge Northern for a guarantee of the bonds. Whether this will be an interest assurance guarantee or a straight guarantee such as was granted to railway branch lines in Northern Alberta remains to be seen. However, the Ottawa announcement of today that \$447,000 was being provided for further surveys is likely to have a good effect at Edmonton, for it is argued here that if the Dominion is willing to make a direct outlay of that amount, with no chance of any of the money returning, then the provincial government should be willing to go a great deal further than a \$500,000 interest guarantee when the first lien for the money will be the land of the farmers and when the farmers will pay back the whole amount of \$5,000,000 by way of direct taxation.

With \$447,000 at the command of the survey department of the reclamation service, many surveys will be completed in Southern Alberta, and the crews will be doubled up for this purpose. Among the districts where irrigation surveys will be undertaken, and no doubt complete, are Taber, Grassy Lake, Bow Island, Skiff, Erzikom, Forcinst, Warner, Milk River, North Macleod, the United and Lone Rock irrigation districts west of Cardston. This is good news to the farmers in those areas, who have only been waiting to secure the necessary data as to surveys before proceeding with the erection of irrigation districts.—Lethbridge Herald.

**PROFITEERS SHOULD  
PAY GRATUITY**

MONTREAL, March 25.—In a stirring address before the Great War Veterans' association convention here yesterday afternoon Col. de Salaberry, of Ottawa, called upon the government to find the money to pay the gratuity now sought by the returned soldiers. He contended that as the government did not hesitate to conscript the blood of the Dominion in the war, it should not now hesitate to conscript some of the wealth. He was of the opinion that profiteers who had made large profits out of the war should be made to bear the bur-

den of the expense.

Col. de Salaberry was speaking on the subject of re-establishment which occupied the attention of the convention all day. Delegates from the West with the exception of Saskatchewan, wanted the Alberta resolution, but Ontario and the Eastern provinces strongly urged the endorsement of the original Great War Veterans' scheme as submitted to the parliamentary committee last October. After considerable discussion it was finally decided to refer the resolution back to the committee for further consideration. It will be presented again today.

**Approves of Principle**

Opening his address Col. de Salaberry said he approved of the principle of the gratuity as just and fair. Moreover, he contended the scheme was a practical one for the government to consider if only the proper means of securing revenue by taxation were employed. He believed that the soldiers' case should be put before the public as strongly as possible as a matter of simple justice.

W. Drinnan, Vancouver, replying to him, said he felt sure that the delegates would not leave Montreal divided on any question that had come up. He would strongly endorse the original Great War Veterans' association plan as one that would have universal approval on the part of the returned men. He contended that the Dominion should be backed up in its work in the past.

There had been accusations to the effect that he had "surrendered under fire" at Ottawa when the Great War Veterans' association plan of re-establishment came up in the house, said Maj. G. W. Andrews, M.P. That was not so, he desired to say. He reviewed some of his work on behalf of the soldiers' scheme when it came up, and concluded by making a plea for the convention to obtain public sympathy and support. "Establish your need," he said.

**Men Not Divided**

He did not think there was any difference between the "Flynn men" of the Great War Veterans' association when it came down to the question of re-establishment, but they all wanted a square deal. More arguments like that set forth by J. H. Rawlinson, the blind delegate, would do more to obtain public support than all the conventions that had ever been held.

The matter of the Veteran magazine investigation came up again, and the following delegates were appointed a commission to lead with the whole enterprise and submit a report of findings at as early a date as possible: D. McDougall, barrister, Montreal; E. A. Paige, Vancouver, editor of the Vancouver Weekly, and J. H. Butt, statistician, Ottawa.

Today is expected to be the busiest day of the convention. The re-establishment question will be up again.

**Debar the Aliens**

The federal government is asked to debar aliens from entry in to Canada for 15 years in a resolution passed at the convention. The resolution occurs in the report of the immigration, naturalization, which was adopted after the immigration and deportation committee limit recommended had been changed. As originally recommended enemy aliens were to be debarred for five years. The amendment was moved by C. E. Height of Toronto and seconded by A. R. Wilkes of Toronto. The delegates again discussed the bonus question, which had come up in the re-establishment recommendations.

An amendment was moved by J. L. Ralston of Nova Scotia which sought to have the plan of last year, which was placed before the parliamentary committee, adopted in its entirety. Comrade Pearte of Ontario moved an amendment that the G. W. V. A. plan be adopted with the "needy" clause eliminated.

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**LES MISERABLES**

Just as Victor Hugo's world-classic, Les Miserables, is the strongest human story ever written, so Wm. Fox's faithful screen adaptation of the production coming to the Empress theatre Monday and Tuesday, is without question the most absorbing film drama in years. William Farnum, famous for his interpretation of rugged roles, appears as Jean Valjean. Frank Lloyd is the director.

The whole play revolves about the suffering and the sacrifice of Jean Valjean, a young peasant of Southern France, who is condemned to the galleys for stealing a loaf of bread for his wife and children. His original sentence of imprisonment and hard labor is extended to nineteen years because harsh treatment leads him to repeated but ineffectual attempts to escape.

Jean Valjean returns from the living grave with his soul embittered. He takes up a new life without enthusiasm, his heart dead, his whole being inflamed against society. The thoughtfulness of a bishop who gives him food when all others drive him from their doors, shows him a new way. He is converted to the cause of right. His conscience becomes his guide.

Through the years that follow Jean Valjean lives under an assumed name. His life is purified, and he is loved and respected as a good citizen of the community. His philanthropy and benevolence cause him to be known throughout the district, and he is elected mayor of his town. Then he hears that a man has been arrested as Jean Valjean, the convict. Jean is torn between the desire to do what he realizes he should and the desire to let the past be buried now forever.

After an all night struggle with himself he decides to renounce his life of respectability. He makes known his real identity to the authorities. He is arrested once more, but his old time cunning manifests itself again, and he escapes.

For many years he evades pursuit. He adopts a little girl, the daughter of a young worker in the jet factory which he owned in Malence, and who died at the time of his arrest. The girl is Cosette, who falls in love with Marius, a dashing revolutionary leader in Paris. Though he knows that he is sacrificing his own happiness and the one he loves with his whole soul, Jean Valjean goes at the risk of his life among the fighters in the streets of Paris, rescues the wounded Marius and brings him back to Cosette. Valjean also frees Javert, the police inspector whom the revolutionaries have made captive and who has hounded him from the day he was first sent to the galleys. In return for this generous and unexpected action, Javert afterwards gives Jean his own freedom.

The last years of Valjean's life are spent in loneliness and poverty. He has abandoned everything that Cosette and her Marius may not want. The two find him one morning sobbing softly in the big arm chair in which he sits, with the little ragged dress that Cosette wore as a child. They understood then, but it is too late. The great heart has slowly broken—and Jean Valjean has passed on.

Following are a few of the comments:

"There are people who are continually crying for better pictures. To them we would say, 'See Les Miserables'."—New York Tribune.

"Quite the best picture that has been seen hereabout."—New York Times.

"In strength of plot and human interest Les Miserables surpasses the memorable 'Honor System'."—New York American.

"A note of poignant human interest was dominant through it all."—New York Herald.

"An excellent example of what the movies can do for the classics of literature."—New York World.

"Months of preparation have been spent and the splendid photoplay showed fine evidence of this fact."—New York Globe.

"A delicious piece of character work. It was a triumph of art for William Farnum."—New York Evening World.

"The film moves on with a dramatic intensity that never lags. Always the human interest is uppermost."—New York Evening

**DR. G. S. MILLS  
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## PROTECTION GIVEN MORTGAGEES OF IRRIGABLE LAND

EDMONTON, March 25.—The text of the amendments to the Irrigation Districts Act providing for the protection of mortgagees in such districts so that irrigation bonds may be made the first lien on the lands, have just come down from the office of Attorney-General J. R. Boyle. The amendments form Section 4 of the bill and an important definition of "indemnity value," which reads:

"'Indemnity value' shall mean the value of land within a district immediately prior to the date of its formation unencumbered by any charge other than charges then having priority to the mortgage and where the mortgage covers land both within and without the district, then such part of the said value as is fairly apportionable to the part of the mortgaged premises within the district."

**The Vital Clause**  
The vital clause providing protection for mortgagees reads:

"Where any first mortgagee has procured by legal process the sale of the mortgaged land and has not realized the principal sum, interest and other moneys, if any secured, by the mortgage and the tax cost of the proceedings (hereinafter collectively called mortgage moneys), he shall be entitled to receive payment from the lieutenant-governor in council of the deficit up to the amount whereby the indemnity value of the mortgaged land exceeds the amount realized by him."

Other clauses provide for the ascertaining of the value of the land at the date of the order for foreclosure, such value to be treated thereafter as a sum realized at a sale; also that the first mortgagee shall be entitled to recover the indemnity value of the land not in excess of mortgage moneys within three months of the foreclosure; and that "in ascertaining the value of the land, no account shall be taken of any value, actual or prospective, attributable to the existence of an irrigation scheme."

**Valued by Arbitration**  
Another clause provides that the indemnity value of the land is to be ascertained by arbitration, the district court judge of the judicial district in which the land is situated to be the umpire, and that "any written report in the possession of a mortgagee placing a value upon the mortgaged land at the time the loan was made or subsequently thereto shall be receivable in evidence in fixing the indemnity value."

"Unless the value of the land has been diminished by the irrigation scheme," another clause reads, "no sum shall be paid in excess of the value of the land unencumbered by any charge other than charges having priority to the mortgage, immediately prior to the formation of the district and ascertained in the same manner as the indemnity value is ascertained, but as of the date of the sale, foreclosure or forfeiture giving rise to the right of payment."

**Must Make Effort**  
Other clauses provide that the mortgagee must show that he has genuinely and unsuccessfully endeavored by reasonable efforts to realize the mortgage moneys due him, that no mortgagee shall be entitled to any payment under the act for any mortgage renewed after the date of the formation of the district unless provided for in the renewal, and that payment of these protection sums shall come out of the general revenue of the province or from money borrowed upon the credit of the province "without any further or other appropriation than is offered by this sub-section."—Calgary Herald.

More life insurance is being taken out these days than in any history of the life insurance world. Have you got yours? A. F. Grady.

## LIQUOR RATIONING PLEBISCITE LIKEY IN ALBERTA PROVINCE

EDMONTON, March 22.—Should the coming plebiscite under Dominion authority result in a vote in favor of continuing the importation of liquor into Alberta by private persons, according to authoritative information gleaned Monday by The Herald from government circles, another plebiscite under provincial authority will be held shortly afterwards on the question of rationing liquor by the government.

Not only this, but should the plebiscite on importing liquor return a very close result either way, so as to leave the government in doubt as to the wishes of a reasonable majority of the people, the provincial plebiscite on rationing of liquor will be conducted anyway.

**Stewart Standing Pat**  
Premier Charles Stewart is standing pat on the statement he made in the house last week on the subject, and will not give utterance to any further views. From men in direct touch with the cabinet, however, it is learned that before the government does any vital amending of the Liquor Act, it intends to have a clear-cut expression of opinion from the electors.

According to the officials interviewed, just as Premier Stewart said in his statement last week, the government will regard the vote on the plebiscite to determine for or against importation of liquor by private persons as a mandate for Liquor Act amendments. If a big and decisive majority is cast against allowing any further importation by private persons, the government will undoubtedly regard that as a mandate for enforcing further restrictions by amending the present act.

**Up to the People**  
But if the result should be very close or in favor of importing liquor, then the government will face the necessity of ascertaining just how people want the liquor to be distributed.

The straw vote conducted by The Calgary Herald, which resulted in an overwhelming majority in favor of a rationing plan under government control, was a topic of much interest in government circles Monday, and among the members of the legislature.

All interviewed, however, are chary of expressing their opinion publicly, at least until they have thoroughly analyzed the result of the Herald's straw vote.

**Representative Opinions**  
The general opinion, however, is that the result of the vote is quite in line with public opinion, as most of the members are finding in their constituencies.

From the same source from which the Herald gained the foregoing information, it is learned that the government is averse to submitting a plebiscite involving three or four different proposals of handling the liquor question at the same time that the plebiscite is taken on importation, because of fear of confusing the issue.

The stand the government takes on this, say these informants, is that people are either for or against consumption of liquor as a beverage in the province.

If the majority are opposed to the consumption of liquor as a beverage, and vote against it heavily, then the government will consider that it would be logical

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to amend the present Liquor Act; "tighten" it up, to prevent the present consumption of liquor on a large scale by the prescription route.

But in case the vote is very close either way, the government will have to consider not only what a very small majority of the people might want, but the possibility of enforcing legislation with a big element of the community strongly opposed to it.

**Alternatives Possible**  
The only way out, so a majority of the government ministers consider, would be to submit the following plebiscite, then, with one or two alternative propositions regarding rationing of liquor. It is possible that one of these might involve the sale of light wine and beer, but it is too early to discuss that issue, so these informants say.

Of course this does not mean that in case the plebiscite against the importation of liquor by private persons carries by only a small majority, it will be disregarded. On the contrary, if the plebiscite goes against importation of liquor by private persons even by a majority of one vote, such importation will be stopped at once.

But that will leave unsettled the question of distributing liquor under the present act, through government vendors and drug stores, and it is upon this point of rationing distribution, instead of allowing it to go out by doctors' prescriptions, that the government will take another plebiscite unless there should be such a heavy vote against importation of liquor that the government would consider it a mandate to amend the present liquor act without any further consultation of the electors.—Calgary Herald.

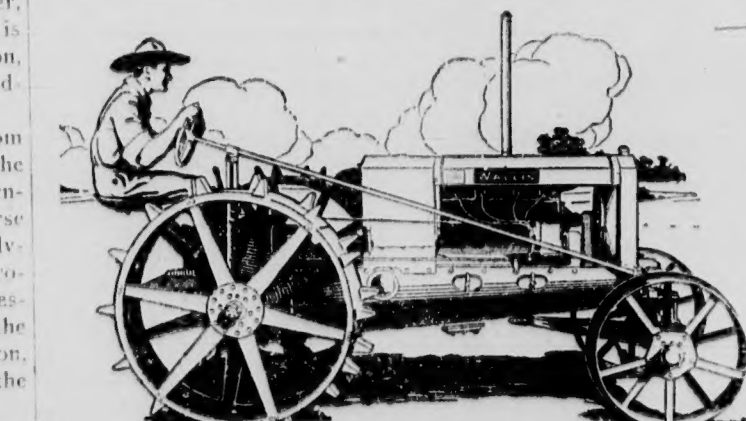
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## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY TOWN OF MACLEOD

### Council

Mayor—J. L. Facett.  
Councillors—E. J. Muldoon, R. J. E. Gardiner, F. Morris, A. McDonald, F. Thewlis, R. T. McNicol.

Secretary-Treasurer—E. Foster-Brown.

Council meets first and third Mondays every month in the Town Hall.

### Committees

Finance—McNicol, Thewlis, Morris.  
Police—Muldoon, McNicol and Gardiner.

Fire—Morris Gardiner and Thewlis.  
Water and Light—Gardiner, Muldoon, McDonald.

Sanitation—Thewlis, McDonald, McNicol.

Health Board—J. L. Fawcett, V. Pearson, R. D. McNay, A. T. Leather and A. Young.

Superintendent-Engineer—V. Pearson.

Second Engineers—Frank Seymour and M. Hill.

Chief of Police—S. O. Lawson.

Fire Chief—Wesley Shield.

District Court Judge—E. P. McNeil.

Clerk of Supreme and District Court—T. Dickson.

Justices of the Peace—G. H. Stedman, W. A. Day.

Provincial Police Magistrate—Major Burrell.

Provincial Police—Corp. Watt.  
Crown Prosecutor—J. W. McDonald.  
Coroner—A. F. Grady.  
Member of Provincial Parliament—Geo. Skelding.  
Medical Health Officer—Dr. S. J. Kirk.  
Registrar of Vital Statistics—A. F. Grady.  
Local Agent Government Telephone—W. E. Kope.

**Macleod Hospital Board**  
A. T. Leather, chairman; E. F. Brown, K. W. Reikie, R. D. McNay, A. D. Ferguson, Rev. J. Kennedy, Rev. W. A. Lewis, Rev. J. Osborn, R. T. McNicol, F. Morris, J. D. Matheson, C. W. Stevens, A. F. Grady, Alex. McLeod, J. W. Moreash; matron, Miss Sarney.

**Macleod Agricultural Society**  
President—Mr. H. McIntosh.  
1st vice-president—Mr. A. T. Leather.  
2nd vice-president—Mr. M. Bailey.  
Secretary-treasurer—Mr. R. J. E. Gardiner.

**Board of Trade**  
As the annual meeting will be held soon, the names of the Officers will be published in a later issue.

**Public School Board**  
Chairman—R. T. McNicol.  
Trustees—J. L. Fawcett, W. A. Day, R. W. Stewart, H. Little.  
Secretary-Treasurer—E. Foster Brown.

**Separate School Board**  
Chairman—T. H. Stedman.  
Trustees—M. Gallagher, M. Jordan, J. J. Burke.  
Sec. Treas.—J. Ryans.

Inspector for the Macleod Inspectorate—Mr. L. A. Lazerte, Macleod.

**Royal Canadian Mounted Police**  
Macleod Detachment staff officers:

Commanding Officer—Superintendent R. Y. Douglass, Inspector J. A. McDonald, Inspector W. J. Lindsay, Inspector Howard Townsend, Sergt.-Major W. Armer, Srts. J. A. Webb and J. A. Allen.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

**Christ Church, Macleod.**  
(Anglican)

Every Sunday, 8 a.m., Holy Communion.

1st and 3rd Sundays, 10.30 a.m., Matins. 11 a.m., Holy Communion.

2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays, 11 a.m., Matins and Litany.

Every Sunday, 7.30 p.m., Evensong.

Intercession Service every Thursday at 7.30 p.m.

Sunday School every Sunday at 2.30 p.m.

W. A. regular meeting 1st Monday in the month. Sec., Mrs. C. C. Rhodes.

W. J. Merrick, M.A., Rector. Phone 60.

### Methodist Church

Sunday—Worship at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Dr. Kirk, Supt.

Monday—Young People's Meeting at 8 p.m.; Miss M. Thewlis, president. Mission Band at 4.15 p.m.; Mrs. Jos. McNab, leader.

Tuesday—Ladies' Aid, first Tuesday of month, 4 p.m.; Mrs. W. G. Andrews, president. Women's Missionary Society, 2nd Tuesday of every month at 4 p.m. Mrs. W. A. Lewis, president.

Wednesday—Prayer Meeting, 8 p.m.

Thursday—Mission Circle, 8 p.m., 2nd Thursday of every month. Miss E. Thiel, Secretary.

Friday—Young People's Choir Practice 7 p.m.; E. Demer, leader. Miss Essie McDonald, organist.

Senior Choir Practice, 8 p.m.; F. Thewlis, leader; Mrs. Hodgins, organist.

"The People's Church." Everybody welcome.

W. A. Lewis, Pastor.

**St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church**  
Pastor—Rev. J. Kennedy. Phone Wm. Tasker, Choir Leader.  
Miss Watson, Organist.  
Sundays—Morning service, 11 a.m. Evening service, 7.30 p.m. Sunday school, 2.30 p.m.  
Monday—Ladies' Aid in church rooms, 3 p.m. (1st Monday of month, regular meeting).  
Young People's Society every Monday at 8 p.m.  
Wednesday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.  
Thursday—Choir Practice, 8 p.m.  
Women's Missionary Society (regular meeting second Tuesday of each month at 4 p.m.) Junior Mission Band (third Tuesday of every month).

### Church of the Holy Cross Macleod

Rev. J. Osborn, Pastor.  
Sunday Services—Low Mass at 3.30 a.m. High Mass and sermon at 10.30 a.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. Devotions and Benediction at 7.30 p.m.

### Salvation Army 3rd Avenue.

Capt. Miss G. Evans.  
Lieut. Miss V. Barker.  
Sunday Services—Holiness meeting, 11 a.m. Sunday School, 3 p.m. Salvation meeting 7.30 p.m.

Tuesday and Thursday—Public meeting, 8 p.m.  
Thursday—Band of Love Sewing Class, 4.15.  
Saturday—Girl Guards, 3.30.

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS

### MEDICAL

S. J. KIRK, M.D., L.M.C.C.  
Physician and Surgeon.  
Office:  
3rd Ave. between 21st and 22nd Sts.  
Office phone 58. Residence Phone 21.

DR. G. S. MILLS, D.D.S.  
Dentistry

Office, corner 27th St. and 4th Ave. Macleod, Alberta.  
Phone 162

### LEGAL

JOSEPH D. MATHESON, LL.B.

Barrister

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Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries Public, etc.

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**TASTY MEALS**

Everything in Season

Tobaccos, Cigars,

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Soft Drinks



## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Violet Day in aid of the hospital.

Mrs. Embry of the Union Bank gave an informal dinner on Tuesday evening, March 23.

Mrs. (Inspector) McDonald R. C. M. P., entertained at tea on Saturday afternoon, March 27th.

Miss Lilian Andrews gave a birthday party to a number of friends on Tuesday, March 23rd.

F. Wall has rented his farm north of Macleod and with his family has moved into town to live.

Andrew Mara of the Lethbridge Mercantile Company of Lethbridge was in town last Wednesday in business.

Otto Steele of Olsen Creek arrived back from Westlock on the E. D. and B. C. on Sunday, where he has been wintering stock.

Alex McDonald went to Calgary on Tuesday to hustle some cars of feed along, which were promised him some time ago.

Lemmy Cofell, who has been in the north country looking after his livestock during the winter months, returned to his farm at Ardenville last Thursday.

Mrs. Jaffray, whose husband Rev. J. A. Jaffray was for nine years pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Macleod, is on a visit to her friends in Macleod and is the guest of Mrs. J. Struthers.

J. Ringland and his son Kenneth left Macleod last week for High River, where Mr. Ringland is going to farm this year. Mrs. Ringland is staying on in Macleod for a few days' visit with friends before she goes.

Services for South Macleod on Easter Sunday. There will be a Communion service at Waterton school house on Easter Sunday morning at 11 a.m., and at Allanfield school house at 2.30 p.m., conducted by Rev. W. H. Day.

Messrs. Scougall and Barnes have now moved into their new premises, the old B.N.A. building on Main Street, the interior of which has been remodelled and redecorated. The work has been executed by C. W. Stevens, the local contractor.

The Connolly hill on Wilson's creek is in very bad shape; in fact it is almost impassable. We understand that there has been an agitation for a snow fence, but without success. However, this is a piece of road that should receive immediate attention.

We understand that S. C. Metze, lately returned from the front, has accepted the position of inspector for Southern Alberta, of the Soldiers' Settlement Board. Mr. Metze is well known in Macleod and was managing inspector for the Dominion government before he enlisted in 1914.

There was quite a mix-up at the station yards on Friday. The yards were full of teams waiting for hay when the yard engine came along to move some cars. This frightened several horses and for a while it looked as if there was going to be a general stampede. However, very little damage was done, besides knocking off a few boards from some of the racks.

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Write your name on your film, drop it in the window slot at—

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## DRY GOODS SPECIALS!

### FLOWERED SILK POPLIN

New Spring goods are arriving daily and they come in very small shipments. We have just unpacked a line of Handsome Flowered Silk Poplin—comes in shades of biscuit, navy, taupe, etc.—just one dress length of each. Priced at—

**\$4.95 YD**

### SILK POPLINS

Plain colors; two pieces only, in wine and taupe shades. These goods have a lovely sheen finish and the softness of texture adapts itself to perfect draping.

## SPECIALS IN WASH GOODS

### COTTON CRIMPS

Crepe Cotton goods with an exceptionally soft finish—comes in plain colors, fancy stripe checks and spray designs.

**50¢ YARD**

### ANDERSON'S ZEPHYR GINGHAMS

Without exception the finest quality of gingham made and guaranteed fast colors—plaid effects only.

**75¢ YARD**

### WHITE PIQUE

Imported goods and of perfect quality—comes in medium and heavy ribs—three grades.

**65, 75 AND 85¢ YARD**

A further shipment of Ladies Spring Suits & Coats just arrived. All Ladies interested will do well to call and see them immediately as the styles and materials are excellent and prices very reasonable

## House Furnishings Bargains

Owing to the unusual conditions in Eastern and foreign markets we have not been able to obtain all the lines that we desired to offer you for the home this Spring, but shipments are arriving daily and our stock is very complete in the necessities that make Spring housecleaning a big success.

### NEW SPRING ARRIVALS

#### BEAUTIFUL CRETONNES

27 to 36 inches wide.  
At 30c, 45c, 65c to \$1.00

#### ART SATEENS

Suitable for coverings 27 to 32 inches wide.  
From 30c to 65c Yard

#### BORDERED SCRIMS AND MARQUINETTE

Double width.  
25c to 75c Yd.

#### MADRAS OVERDRAPE

In exquisite designs and colorings—  
\$1.00 to \$1.75 Yd.

Have you taken stock of your windows this spring? Replace shabby window hangings with nice fresh Shades and Curtains.

We are showing Window Shades far below the present market prices.

Plain green, cream and in combination colors, ranging from \$1.10 to \$3.40.

#### GOOD LINE OF NOVELTY CURTAINS

In white, ivory and ecru, at per pair—  
\$1.85, \$2.50, \$3.00, to \$5.00

#### HOW ABOUT YOUR WALLS?

You will find something suitable for parlor, den, bedroom or kitchen in our new selection of

#### WALLPAPERS

which are selling from 12½¢ to 45¢ per Single Roll

Call in and see our line of SANATILE AND VARNISH TILE PAPERS

for bathroom and pantry—cheaper and better than paint

Please keep in mind that we carry the largest and best selection of Wilton and Axminster Rugs in town—also Inlaid and Printed Linoleums and that the prices have not advanced to compare with the present values.

## THE HARDWARE DEPT. FIRST SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT

Our first Spring Announcement is made now because we feel that many of our customers prefer making early selections.

All who are really wise and prudent will secure their supplies at once and avoid disappointment, as nearly all lines are scarce and deliveries very uncertain.

#### FORMALDEHYDE—

In 2, 5 and 10-lb sealed jugs

at \$1.50, \$3.75 and \$7.00

#### HORSE COLLAR PADS—

Brown and white, 12 inches

wide; all sizes — at \$1.00  
Ventiplex Pads, all sizes 85c.

#### HALTERS—

In several styles. Our leader is a leather halter lined with three ply of heavy duck.

Special price, \$2.35

#### DRY BATTERIES—

Burgess No 6—the battery recognized as the best—

55c each

#### OILS AND GREASES—

Arctic Cup Grease, in 3, 5, 10 and 25-lb tins—  
Mica Axle Grease in 1, 3, 5, 10, 15 and 25-lb tins.

20c Up.

Mobile and Polarine Oils in ½-gal. and gal. cans; also in barrels.

Be sure and see us before purchasing your tractor oils. We can save you money on these lines.

#### SPARK PLUGS—

Champion, Titan AC, Splitdorf and Hercules—

90c to \$1.40

#### WRENCHES AND PLIERS

In all shapes and sizes. Ask to see our "Getatit Pliers"—just the thing for getting into tight places.

#### AUTO SUPPLIES—

Dunlop and K. & S. Casings and Tubes—brand new stock. Pumps, Jacks, Bearing Scrapers, Fan Belts, Perfex Radiators, Weed, Jumbo and Rid O Skid Chains, Rim-Cut Patches, Outside Tire Protectors, Tape and Cement, Valve-Grinding Compound and Prussian Blue.

## Grocery Specials

#### PRUNES—

60/70—Week-end Special—  
at 2 lb for 45c

#### FIGS—White Cooking—

Week-end Special—  
2 lb for 49c

#### BLUE—

Mrs. Stewart's Washing—in bottles—Week-end Special — 2 bottles for 35c

#### AMMONIA WASHING POWDER—

Week-end Special—10c. pkg.

#### SOAP—

Toilet, Lavender, Bath  
Week-end Special—3 for 25c

DATES—Excelsior Brand—  
Week-end Special—20c pkg.

#### CHERRIES—

Niagara Brand, No. 2 tins  
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